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Polite and prompt attention at all times.

Satisfaction Guaranteed.

## A Disastrous Battle.

Seven Americans Killed and Forty-Five Wounded.

### THE FILIPINOS' LOSS LIGHT.

Manila, April 23, 9:30 p. m.—In an encounter with the Filipinos near Quenga, about four miles north-east of Maiolos, seven Americans were killed and forty-five wounded.

9:30 p. m.—The engagement developed into a disastrous though successful fight. The insurgents had a horseshoe trench about a mile long, encircling a rice field on the edge of a wood. Major Bell, with forty cavalrymen, encountered a strong outpost. One of his men was killed and five were wounded by volley. The Americans retired, carrying their wounded under fire and with great difficulty, being closely pursued, fog enabling the enemy to creep up to them.

Two men who were carrying a comrade were shot in the arms, but they continued with their burden. Major Bell sent for reinforcements to rescue the bodies of the killed cavalrymen and a battalion of the Nebraska regiment under Major Muford arrived and advanced until checked by volleys from the enemy's trenches. The Americans lay about 800 yards from the trenches, behind rice furrows under fire, for two hours. Several men were struck, one dying from the effects of the heat as they lay there waiting for the artillery to come up.

Finally the Second battalion arrived and then Colonel Stotsenburg, who had spent the night with his father at Manila, came upon the field. The men immediately recognized him and raised a cheer. Colonel Stotsenburg, deciding to charge as the cheapest way out of the difficulty, led the attack at the head of his regiment. He fell with a bullet in his breast, dying instantly, about 200 yards from the breastworks. Lieutenant Sisson fell with a bullet in his heart, bullet striking him near the picture of a girl suspended by a ribbon from his neck.

In the meantime the artillery had arrived and shelled the trenches. The Filipinos stood until the Nebraska troops were right on the trenches and then bolted to the second line of intrenchments, a mile back. The Nebraska regiment lost two privates and had many wounded, including two lieutenants. The Iowa regiment had several wounded. The Utah regiment had one officer and three men wounded.

Thirteen dead Filipinos were found in the trenches. Their loss was comparatively light on account of their safe shelter. The Americans carried the second trench with small loss and are holding the town to-night.

Don't scratch your life away, but use Dr. Sawyer's White Hazel and Arnica Salve for eczema, piles, hives, burns and cuts. For sale by Aug. Grave.

## Moulton News.

Moulton, Texas, April 23.

Mrs. Henry Krause and children left last Wednesday on a visit to friends and relatives in Columbus and Houston.

Phillip Mathes, the blacksmith, has closed his shop and has accepted a position with Rud Albrecht.

Sam Gottlieb went to Columbus last Thursday on business.

Messrs. Mike Kock and Orville Burke took in the excursion to San Antonio Friday.

Willie Hehr has rented the Boehm cottage on Moore Avenue and will go to housekeeping.

Mrs. Aug. Mueller and daughter Miss Tillie and Miss Lilly Fehrenkamp, left yesterday for LaGrange to visit friends.

W. A. White returned home last Friday very much improved.

Otto Arnim left today for Elgin, Kansas.

Yours,  
BOB MILLER.

## NICKEL NOTES

The long drought of months has been broken by a regular down-pour of rain, filling cisterns, tanks and creeks to overflowing, which makes everyone rejoice. No damage done. Everything will flourish with a boom. Crops were doing well, corn and cotton looking well. Fruit crop very flattering. But the fig trees are killed to the ground. In some localities they are sprouting from the old roots. It will be a long time ere we chronicle another fig crop like last year.

Rev. Frierson, Baptist pastor of Moulton Institute, filled his appointment at Stonewall school house last Friday night.

Miss Georgia Crosby of Pecos City, is visiting her father and brothers of this place. An entertainment was given complimentary to her by Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Williamson, at which everyone reports having had a royal good time.

Mrs. H. L. Kokernot and children of Alpine, spent a pleasant visit with her mother Mrs. Reeves.

Mrs. Spence and little one from Houston, who has been quite sick at her mother's Mrs. Duff, we are pleased to note, are convalescing. Several from this section will take advantage of excursion rates and take in the Battle of Flowers at the Alamo city and see the sights in general. We wish them a pleasant trip. More anon.

Amica.

[The above letter was received too late for last issue.—Editor.]

If you have urinary trouble or pain in the back, indicating kidney disorders, if there be a general loss of energy, we ask you in all fairness to use Dr. Sawyer's Ukatine. Thoubear evidence to the fact that it cures. For sale by Aug. Grave.

## WITTING NOTES.

(Delayed from last week.)

At last we received a sufficiency of rain, which was badly needed for corn and grass.

Thinning corn is finished and some people in our burg are already busy cultivating cotton.

Some young men of Rocky were down here last week hunting for cattle, as they lost three cows and two yearlings.

Hunting raccoons, wolves, foxes and civet cats during the night is common now.

Mr. J. Spohler is working for Mr. B. Spohler, his uncle.

Mr. and Mrs. Radnfeld of Runge, Karnes county, were here last week visiting relatives.

It seems to me that the Reporter of this district can't snap up many items, as I notice in the last week's paper that he furnished the "notice," which was posted at the postoffice, but it was a good thing that he did so, as the owner of that "strafe" calf was found.

REPORTER No. 2.

Dr. J. G. Guenther, of Moulton, came over Monday with Mrs. Ed. Balharn, who was adjudged insane before Judge Paulus. The lady will be sent to an asylum.—Hallettsville Herald.

In district court here Friday, the case of Kutach, of Weid, against the insurance company to compel payment of the policy on the Kutach gin, a compromise was reached and Kutach received \$1125.00.—Hallettsville Herald.

Southwest Texas Press.

Cuero, Texas, April 19.—The Southwest Texas press association has concluded its labors and adjourned to meet in Houston in October next. F. H. Bushick of the San Antonio Express was elected president; H. F. Marr of the Beeville Picayune vice president; W. A. Main of the Hallettsville Herald secretary; John Moore of the Seguin Enterprise treasurer. The editors were royally entertained by the citizens of Cuero. A musical entertainment and a big banquet were special features.

The editors were also treated to a carriage drive to the big Buchel dam and to view points of interest in the city.

## GRAND BALL!!

at the  
Lone Star Hall

Sunday APRIL 30th.

Music By  
Shiner Fireman's Band.  
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